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- (a) U.S. Provisional Patent Application No. 60/200,404, entitled <u>System and Method for Using a Mapping Between Client Addresses and Addresses of Caches to Support Content Delivery, filed April 28, 2000.</u>
- (b) U.S. Provisional Patent Application No. 60/200,401, entitled <u>System and Method for Discovering Optimum Information Object Repositories in Computer Networks (WILD Protocol)</u>, filed April 28, 2000.
- (c) U.S. Provisional Patent Application No. 60/200,511, entitled <u>System and Method for Using URLs to Map Application Layer Content Names to Network Layer Anycast Addresses</u>, filed April 28, 2000.
- (d) U.S. Provisional Patent Application No. 60/200,402, entitled <u>System and Method for Using Network Layer URL Routing to Locate the Closest Server Carrying Specific Content (NURL Routing)</u>, filed April 28, 2000.
- (e) U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/200,403, entitled <u>System and Method</u> for Resolving Network Layer Anycast Addresses to Network Layer <u>Unicast Addresses</u> (AARP), filed April 28, 2000.
- (f) U.S. Patent Application No. 09/810,148, entitled <u>System and Method for Discovering Information Objects and Information Object Repositories in Computer Networks</u>, filed March 15, 2001.
- (g) U.S. Patent Application No. 09/843,789, entitled <u>System and Method for</u>

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- (h) U.S. Patent Application No. 09/844,759, <u>System and Method for</u>

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